

In response to this requirement, Applicants hereby elect **Species number 5. Figures 9A-11B.** Applicants respectfully submit that the elected species is encompassed by **claims 1-3, 5-7, 14-18 and 29** and requests examination for these claims. This election is with traverse.

Additionally, Applicants note that claim 1 is independent and generic at least to the species dependent thereon. Accordingly, upon allowance of claim 1 Applicants respectfully request rejoinder of at least the species of the dependent claims.

REMARKS

It is respectfully submitted that it should be no undue burden on the Examiner to consider all claims in the single application. Reconsideration and withdrawal of this Species Requirement are respectfully requested.

In the event that the Examiner persists in this requirement, Applicants reserve the right to file a Divisional application at a later time, if so desired.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a), the Applicants respectfully petition for a two month extension of time for filing a response in connection with the present application.

Should there remain unresolved issues that require adverse action, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner telephone Mark E. Olds, Applicants' Attorney, at 703.621.7140 so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

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If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3828 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; in particular, extension of time fees.

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Respectfully submitted,

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